

M24 Sniper Weapon System (SWS)



Mission

Enable sniper teams to engage enemy forces (personnel) with a 7.62mm bolt action rifle using precision fire at extended ranges.

Description and Specifications

The **M24 Sniper Weapon System (SWS)** is a 7.62mm bolt-action, six shot, repeating rifle, chambered for the 308 WIN M118 special ball ammunition. Components include a day optic sight with 10 power magnification and adjustable focus, metallic iron sights, deployment kit, cleaning kit (rifle and optic), soft rifle carrying case, optic and system cases, operator's manual and an optional bipod. Associated support items of equipment include a Sniper Night Sight and an improved spotting scope. The SWS is a non-developmental item. The combat weight with sling, day optic, and full magazine is 14.25 pounds, 17 pounds with bipod and tools. Maximum effective range is 800 meters, and the length is 40.75 inches.